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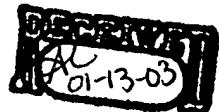
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LETTER/REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT MAILED DECEMBER 12, 2002

Dear Sir:

The subject restriction requirement was apparently issued in error as noted by the Examiner during a telephone conversation with applicants' undersigned representative on January 13, 2003.

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Applicants filed a Reply on December 16, 2002 to the Restriction Requirement (mailed November 14, 2002) electing with traverse group I (claims 1-11), which election is hereby reaffirmed.

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